



## The Bed is Important, But— How about the COMFORTS?

The selection of the proper comfort is just as important as the selection of any part of the bed. It has been found that pure cotton comforts are the most sanitary and healthful bed covers. A cotton comfort will keep its shape if it's made right. It doesn't have to bunch and lump after it's been in use awhile, if it's made properly.

## Maish Cotton Down Comfort

is not only famous for its extra-lightness, extra-purity, extra-thickness, and extra-beauty, but it keeps its shape 'till it's worn out.

When you take one up you notice that it is thick and yet much lighter than the ordinary cotton comfort. That is because the Maish Comfort is made of the finest cotton, curled by the special Maish process which insures extra lightness and fluffiness.

When you sleep under a Maish Comfort you discover that this super-pure, super-sanitary comfort gives double the warmth of any comfort of equal weight. Why not furnish your beds with Maish Comforts since they cost so little more than ordinary comforts?

We also wish to call your attention to the beautiful covers of Maish Comforts in many pretty patterns and shades. Just the thing you need for your own room and for the guest room, but so inexpensive that you can furnish every bed in the house with a pure, sanitary Maish Comfort.

## B. W. Hooker & Co.

Vermont's Largest Housefurnishers

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Big clearance sale at Vaughan's. Only five days more of Abbott's sale. Buy your winter garments in the sale at Vaughan's.

Corporal Smith of the local Salvation Army corps went to White River Junction this morning on a business visit. Clothing sale, men's, women's, boys' and girls' top coats and suits at unheard of prices. Latest models. Sadler, 10 Keith avenue.

Mrs. James Gow of Liberty street returned to the city Saturday evening, after passing several days with relatives in South Royalton.

Madame Wanda has been retained for three nights more, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, at the Barre opera house. Come out and see this wonderful woman—adv.

Miss Bernice Whitcomb, who is employed in the office of the secretary of state at Essex Junction, was a visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Whitcomb of Beacon street, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart of Central street left the city Saturday evening for California, where they expect to make a stay of indefinite length. They will go directly to Oakland for a visit with friends and will also visit in San Francisco before going to Los Angeles to pass the remainder of the winter. A large number of their Barre friends gathered at the station to bid them farewell.

The following item from a Boston Sunday paper will be of interest to local people, as Dr. Bray was formerly a frequent visitor in Barre while attending the medical college at the University of Vermont. Dr. Bray is a brother of Mrs. P. J. McSweeney, who lived in Barre during his college years: "Dr. Henry Terney Bray, former town health officer of New Britain, Conn., has broken his own world's record for attendance on maternity cases, according to statistics made public by the New Britain town clerk. During the year 1915 Dr. Bray officiated at 223 births, or about two babies every three days. In June he had 32 births and in May he reported 29 births, getting a bonus for three years from the city treasurer of \$55.75."

A whole week of the new year passed without any calls for assistance at the fire station and it might have gone along for another week, and then again for only a day or two, had it not been for a slight outbreak at the south-end hotel, so-called, on South Main street Saturday evening. A telephone call brought several of the regulars in the auto truck to the door of the big tenement house at 7:40 o'clock. An overheated stove-pipe had communicated fire to the ceiling between the first and second story through the medium of a strip of tin protecting the pipe. Copious application of the chemical solution from hand tanks sufficed to extinguish the blaze and the scare which the outbreak threw into a number of tenants was short-lived. John Trow owns the building and the damage did not exceed \$10.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Mrs. C. C. Millar of Boston is in the city, having been called here by the illness of her son, Manager C. F. Millar of the Consolidated Lighting company. Mr. Millar's condition is somewhat improved.

## Fresh Fish

Groceries  
Meat  
Vegetables  
Fruit  
Poultry  
Bread  
Pastry

Union Store

## Granite City General Store

1-15 Granite St. Telephone 151

## Delicious Fruits Special for Monday and Tuesday

BEST BANANAS

14 FOR 25c, 15 FOR 25c, 20 FOR 25c

ORANGES, Navel Sweets

14 FOR 25c, 25c DOZEN UP TO 50c

FLORIDAS

15c PER DOZ. UP TO 40c DOZEN

TANGERINES

20c, 25c AND 30c PER DOZEN

GRAPEFRUIT

SIX, FOUR, THREE FOR 25c

FIGS

20c PER POUND

## Fresh Roasted PEANUTS

THREE QUARTS FOR 25c

Candy

OUR 40c LINE OF CANDY, ALL FLAVORS, ONLY 35c PER POUND  
25c AND 30c GRADES, 20c  
GOODS DELIVERED FREE  
TEL. 240

## United Fruit Store

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# Only 5 Days More of Our January Clearance Sale

Saturday Night Closes this Sale

This sale is the largest in proportion of any sale that we have ever held. More customers buying and more goods being sold. This is the easiest way that you can save a dollar. When we say January Clearance Sale you know about as well as we do what this means. You know that there is no other time in the year when dry goods and garments are sold at these prices. You should buy your household goods this week. Dress Goods and Linens won't be at these prices, even in a sale again, until the war

is over. Ladies' Suits and Coats will look better to you this week than next. Leave your work if you have to. Get here some way before 10 o'clock Saturday evening.

## If in Need of the Following, Buy Before Saturday Night

All Children's and Misses' Winter Hats at one-half price.

Table Damask and Napkins.

Towels, Crashies and all kinds of Linens, as you won't see these prices again for a long time.

Dress Goods in All Wool and Silk. The advance on these goods during the last eight weeks has been something surprising. Many manufacturers are refusing orders, even at the advanced prices.

### Napkins

In the Table Linen line there is a larger advance on Napkins than on the Damask by the yard.

We have a large assortment of Napkins, all bought before the first rise in price; some of them are soiled, some are broken lots that don't match the Damask. These are worth to you regular prices. They have all the wear in them that they ever had, and you can buy them now of us below cost to close before inventory.

### Blankets and Quilts

One lot of 10-4 Gray Blankets in this sale at only 49c per pair.

One lot of 70x80 Gray Blankets, good heavy weight. These are worth from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per pair; now at \$1.29 per pair.

Here is another good trade in our better Blankets. One lot of California Wool Blankets, market value to-day \$6.50; these in this sale at \$4.98 per pair. This is one of our best Blanket trades.

One lot of full-size Bed Quilts. These are \$2.00 Quilts at \$1.29 each in this sale.

One lot of Satin Quilts, full size. These are \$2.75 values. This one lot at \$2.19 each.

All Blankets, Quilts and Comfortables in our store during this sale at a liberal discount.

### Wash Goods

Wash Goods like our Linen Sale. Ladies plan their saving here each year.

All of our Dark and Light Prints at 5c during this sale.

One lot of 10c and 12½c Gingham, all of them fast colors, now in this sale at 7½c per yard.

One lot of Fancy Cotton Crepe, a 12½c cloth, to close at 7½c per yard.

One lot of Imported Scotch Gingham, best goods, our 25c Gingham, now at 15c per yard.

One lot of 15c White Dimity in Stripes and Checks. New, fresh goods to close at 10c per yard.

Short lengths in Serpentine Crepe, 18c grade, to close at 12½c yard.

One lot of Moleskins. These are our best 16c values, at 12½c yard.

One lot of fine quality 15c Slips at 12c, one lot of 16c values at 13c.

All Sheets and Slips in our store in this sale this week at a liberal discount.

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## In Our Garment Department

The many values we are offering in our Garment Department for the next week will be interesting to those who are looking for the ready-made garment. We are making prices to clean up stock before invoicing.

In the Tailor Made Suits are some values that are saving propositions to any who want a good suit to finish out the season. Here are Suits that are selling at less than you would pay for the cloth alone, and are Suits that are made by our best tailors—Suits that are made in the latest styles and will not be bad for the spring wear. If you want a business suit, this is an extra chance for you to get what you want at a small price.

At \$6.98 are a few good Suits in Serges and Poplins; were good values at \$12.00 to \$15.00.

At \$9.98 are a number of the season's best suit values that sold at from \$18.00 to \$22.50. These are Suits in Browns, Blues and Mixtures—Suits that are made in the season's best styles and from All-Wool Serges, Poplins and Gabardines. Are Suits that will be good values for spring wear. We must have the room and need the money for our spring merchandise, that will be coming in soon.

In the better Suits, such as the Fine Serges, Poplins, Gabardines, and Broadcloths, that were our best values and sold at from \$25.00 to \$30.00, now to close at \$12.50.

## Ladies' Silk Waists

We have a few odd Silk Waists that we have put on two racks to close at one-half price. These are Taffetas and Crepe de Chine.

## Separate Coats

We have a lot of odd Coats left from our large winter stock, that we are closing at one-half price. These are many of our season's best values in Coats, where there is only one of a kind left. Are Coats that were worth from \$10.00 to \$25.00; now on separate racks to close at one-half price. If you want a good Coat to finish out the season, these are surely good values.

At one-half price is what we have left in Ladies' and Children's Rain Coats; hardly two of a kind, but all good values.

We are putting prices on what we have left in furs to close them out before invoicing. We have some values in Ladies' Fur Coats that will interest any who want a good, warm, serviceable coat. We have them in full length Pony Coats that we are closing out at about one-half the original price.

# The Daylight Store

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Anniversary sale at Fitts'. Last week of Abbott's January sale. Notice! All kinds of stove repairs at E. A. Prindle & Co.'s, Pearl street.

Miss Lillian Roberts, ticket agent at the Central Vermont depot, is ill at her home in Northfield.

James Giacomuzzi returned last night from Milford, Mass., where he was the guest of relatives during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Gupta returned to the city last evening, after passing the week-end with friends in Northfield.

Miss Ivis Snow, who was in the city to attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Diana Thurston, returned last night to her home in Birmingham, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Stearns of Hinsdale, N. H., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Ballard of Tremont street. Ballard is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stearns.

The members of St. John's court, No. 522, C. O. F., are requested to pay their dues to Arthur J. Loranger during the absence of Fin. Sec. J. E. McNulty. December dues must be paid on or before Jan. 8. John Papin, C. R.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Great bargains on second floor at the Vaughan Store.

Mrs. J. H. Moody of Torton, Ont., arrived in the city Saturday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. D. Reid of South Main street.

Last week of Abbott's January sale. We buy hides, skins and pelts. Pay the highest market price. Bring yours along. H. J. Smith Co., 367 North Main street.

Announcement has been made of the men who were awarded their letter for football in Spaulding for the 1915 season.

The men to receive the letters were the following: Kingston, Smith, J. Tomasi, L. Tomasi, Gordon, Maiden, Alexander, McHugh, Mortimer, Cole, Chandler, Nichols and Wilkins.

John Paul of Ayers street is in receipt of a letter from James Duncan, a former Barre granite cutter, who used to live in Mr. Paul's home, leaving for England early last fall to enlist. Mr. Duncan states that he joined the colors with a Yorkshire regiment two days after he landed. He expects to be ordered to the front as soon as the regiment is thoroughly grounded in the fundamentals of military training.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

L'Union St. Jean Baptiste will hold their annual installation of officers in K. of C. hall Tuesday, Jan. 11. Carroll's orchestra will furnish music. Franco-Americans invited.

Mayor Langley, Alderman Edwin Keast and Alderman E. C. Glysson returned to the city yesterday from New York, where they have been attending the automobile show. H. G. Bennett has returned to the city, after attending the same show.

Charles J. Leclair of the manufacturing firm of Leclair & McNulty received a telegram Saturday from J. Edward McNulty saying that the remains of his brother, P. J. McNulty, who died in Redlands, Cal., Jan. 1, would be delayed in reaching Barre. Arrangements for Mr. McNulty's funeral were, therefore, postponed from to-day and services will probably be held in St. Monica's church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, as the funeral party is expected to arrive in Barre on the early morning train tomorrow. Mr. McNulty's telegram was dated at Chicago.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Joseph Halligan left last night for Montreal, P. Q., where he will make an extended visit with relatives.

For Sale—Rocking chairs, chamber suite, dining table and numerous small articles. Prices very low for quick sale. Mrs. E. A. Drown.

A farewell reception will be given Rev. and Mrs. George H. Holt at the Baptist church Wednesday evening, Jan. 12, at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

Regular meeting branch No. 50 of the Q. W. I. U. of N. A. will be held in Forsters' hall Jan. 11, at 7:30 p. m. Installation of officers and election of international union auditors. Let every member make an effort to attend. Per order corresponding secretary.

Frank H. Tupper, a 1912 graduate of Goodard seminary, who has been employed as a baggage master in the Central Vermont station at Montpelier, has been notified of his transfer to Burlington, where he is to serve as night station master in the new union station. Mr. Tupper is a son of George H. Tupper of South Main street.

# PAVILION THEATRE

VAUDEVILLE

## BONDREAU & MAY

A clever singing duo

## WOOD & HALPIN

Owing to the popularity of this couple, the management has decided to keep them over three days in an entire new act, including new songs and new dance steps

## PHOTOPLAYS

"The Sculptor's Model"—A two-reel Selig drama

Hearst Selig Weekly—All the news of the day

Also a Good Comedy

PRICES - - - Adults, 10c; Children, 5c

# This Is Your OPPORTUNITY

to purchase what you desire  
at very low prices

Our entire will be closed out before  
Saturday night, January 22.

An early inspection of our goods is to  
your advantage.

Miss M. L. Walker, Jewelry  
Miss W. E. Rowell, Art Embroidery

## January After Stock Taking Sale

We find a few articles that are slow sellers because they are not widely advertised goods, and a few soiled packages that we are placing a price on that will move them quickly.

### While They Last:

Rising Sun Stove Black, regular 10c cakes, 5c, 6 for 25c  
Corn Starch, regular 10c packages, 4 packages for 25c  
Celluloid Laundry Starch, regular 10c packages, each, 5c  
Swift's Easy Ironing Starch, regular 10c packages, 6 for 25c  
Troy Crystals (save the rub), regular 10c pkgs., 4c, 7 for 25c  
Polo Laundry Soap, 12 cakes for 25c  
LaFrance Satina Laundry Ironing Tablets, 7 for 25c  
Castile Soap, purely vegetable, regular 10c cakes, 5c  
Swift's Wool Soap, 8 cakes for 25c  
Orona Hand Soap, 10c tins, 6c each, 6 for 35c  
Hominy Grits, 15c packages, 10c, 3 for 25c  
10c and 15c packages Donedo and Bis-Ko Flour, per pkg. 6c

Call and get some of these bargains while they are going.

## The Smith & Cumings Co.

## GOOD VALUES Monday Specials

Ten 5c packages Swift's Washing Powder, to-day only 25c

Blue Label, Green Gage, Peaches, Pears, Pineapple and Strawberries, labels slightly soiled, to close, per can 20c  
Less 5 per cent. discount at store.

Good Pie Apples, per peck 30c

Bethels, Spies, Baldwins and Bellflowers, per peck 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c

Solid pack Albion brand Tomatoes, 2 cans for 25c

Small kegs fresh packed Tripe \$1.00

Pure Home-Rendered Lard:

No. 3 pail, 40c; No. 5, 65c; No. 10, \$1.25, No. 20, \$2.40

From native pig pork.

## The F. D. Ladd Company